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## Sen. McManus' office to serve as drop-off point for old, unusable flags on Flag Day

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**LANSING** – Area residents can bring their old, unusable flags to state Sen. Michelle McManus' Cadillac office this Flag Day, June 14.

Flags that are damaged or worn beyond repair can be brought to 111 N. Mitchell, Suite A, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Tuesday, June 14. John Lamphere, Wexford County Director of Veterans Affairs and 9th District Commander of the American Legion will collect them for proper disposal.

Section 8k of the Flag Code states, "The flag, when it is in such condition that it is no longer a fitting emblem for display, should be destroyed in a dignified way, preferably by burning."

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